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**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:11-cv-01497-ESH**

JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
JUSTICE

Assigned to: Judge Ellen S. Huvelle

Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 08/19/2011

Date Terminated: 02/13/2012

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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| 08/19/2011 | <u>1</u> | COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Filing fee \$ 350, receipt number 4616041566) filed by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(jf,) (Entered: 08/22/2011) |
| 08/19/2011 | | SUMMONS (3) Issued as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (jf,) (Entered: 08/22/2011) |
| 08/19/2011 | <u>2</u> | LCvR 7.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests NONE by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. (jf,) (Entered: 08/22/2011) |
| 09/13/2011 | <u>3</u> | ENTERED IN ERROR.....RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the District of Columbia Attorney General. Date of Service Upon District of Columbia Attorney General 8/23/2011. Answer due for ALL D.C. DEFENDANTS by 9/13/2011. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration of Cristina Rotaru) (Orfanedes, Paul) Modified on 9/14/2011 (jf,). (Entered: 09/13/2011) |
| 09/13/2011 | <u>4</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 08/23/11. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration of Cristina Rotaru)(Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 09/13/2011) |
| 09/13/2011 | <u>5</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE served on 8/23/2011 (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration of Cristina Rotaru)(Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 09/13/2011) |

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| 09/13/2011 | 6 | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 8/23/2011. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 9/22/2011. (Attachments: # 1 Declaration of Cristina Rotaru)(Orfanedes, Paul) (Entered: 09/13/2011) |
| 09/14/2011 | | NOTICE OF CORRECTED DOCKET ENTRY: Document No. re 3 Summons Returned Executed as to DC Attorney General, was entered in error and refiled by counsel under the correct category. (See Docket Entry 4 to view document) (jf,) (Entered: 09/14/2011) |
| 09/16/2011 | 7 | NOTICE of Appearance by Tricia D. Francis on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Francis, Tricia) (Entered: 09/16/2011) |
| 09/23/2011 | 8 | Unopposed MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re 1 Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Francis, Tricia) (Entered: 09/23/2011) |
| 09/23/2011 | | MINUTE ORDER granting 8 Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time to Answer: it is hereby ORDERED that defendant's answer is due by 10/24/2011. Signed by Judge Ellen S. Huvelle on September 23, 2011.(AG) (Entered: 09/23/2011) |
| 10/21/2011 | 9 | Unopposed MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re 1 Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Francis, Tricia) (Entered: 10/21/2011) |
| 10/24/2011 | | MINUTE ORDER granting 9 Consent Motion for Extension of Time to Answer: Upon consideration of the Defendant's Unopposed Motion For Enlargement Of Time To File An Answer To Plaintiff's Complaint, the merits thereof, and for good cause shown, it is hereby ORDERED that the motion is granted; and it is FURTHER ORDERED that the Defendant shall have until and up to December 8, 2011, to file an Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint. Signed by Judge Ellen S. Huvelle on October 24, 2011. (AG) (Entered: 10/24/2011) |
| 12/08/2011 | 10 | Unopposed MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re 1 Complaint <i>Defendant's Unopposed Motion for An Enlargement of Time For Filing A Responsive Pleading to Plaintiff's Complaint</i> by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Francis, Tricia) (Entered: 12/08/2011) |
| 12/08/2011 | | MINUTE ORDER granting 10 Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time to Answer: it is hereby ORDERED that the U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE answer is due by 2/2/2012. Signed by Judge Ellen S. Huvelle on December 8, 2011. (AG) (Entered: 12/08/2011) |
| 02/02/2012 | 1 | MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re 1 Complaint <i>Defendant's Motion for Enlargment of Time To File Responsive Pleading To Plaintiff's Complaint</i> by U.S. |

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| | 1 | DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Francis, Tricia) (Entered: 02/02/2012) |
| 02/03/2012 | | MINUTE ORDER granting 11 Motion for Extension of Time to Answer: Upon consideration of the Defendant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to File a Responsive Pleading to Plaintiff's Complaint, the merits thereof, and plaintiff's representation that it does not oppose, it is hereby ORDERED that the motion is granted, and it is FURTHER ORDERED that the Defendant shall have until and up to February 10, 2012, to file a responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Complaint. Signed by Judge Ellen S. Huvelle on February 3, 2012. (AG) (Entered: 02/03/2012) |
| 02/03/2012 | | Set Deadlines: Answer due by 2/10/2012. (tj) (Entered: 02/03/2012) |
| 02/10/2012 | 1 2 | STIPULATION of Dismissal <i>and Settlement</i> by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. (Francis, Tricia) (Entered: 02/10/2012) |

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